

## Gov. Curry's Appointments. (Con't from Last Week)

Members of the New Mexico Board of Health and Medical Examiners—W. D. Radcliffe, Belen; W. E. Kaser, Las Vegas; J. G. Moir, Deming.

For a term of four years, each: Board of Osteopathy—C. H. Connor, Albuquerque; Chas. A. Wheelon, Santa Fe; W. G. Parson, Roswell.

For a term of two years: Capitol Custodian Committee—H. S. Kaume, Santa Fe; R. P. Ervieu, Clayton; A. B. Renahan, Santa Fe.

For a term of two years: The following recess appointments were confirmed:

University of New Mexico Board of Regents—A. M. Mandalari, Albuquerque, for term ending Sept. 2, 1912, and W. Fletcher Cook, of Albuquerque, for term ending September 2, 1913. Agricultural College—Vincent B. May, Las Cruces, for term ending Sept. 2, 1912, and Geo. Arnot, of Albuquerque, for term ending Sept. 2, 1913.

Normal School, Silver City.—W. B. Walton, Silver City, for term ending Feb. 13, 1913.

New Mexico Normal University, Las Vegas; F. H. Pierce, Las Vegas, for term ending Feb. 22, 1912, and J. S. Duncan, Las Vegas, for term ending Feb. 22, 1913.

School of Mines—Aniceto C. Abeyta Socorro, for term ending September 2, 1912, and T. C. Brown, Socorro, for term ending Sept. 2, 1913.

New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, (Regents)—J. P. White, Roswell, for term ending Feb. 22, 1910; W. G. Hamilton, of Roswell, for term ending Feb. 22, 1912 and W. A. Finlay, Carlsbad, for term ending March 22, 1913.

New Mexico Insane Asylum, Las Vegas, (Board of Directors)—D. C. Winters, Las Vegas, for term ending Sept. 2, 1912, and K. D. Goodall, Las Vegas, for term ending Sept. 2, 1913.

New Mexico Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, Santa Fe, (Board of Trustees)—S. G. Cartwright, Santa Fe, for term ending July 22, 1912, and Frank Owen, Santa Fe, for term ending July 22, 1913.

New Mexico Institute for the Blind, Alamogordo (Board of Trustees)—W. A. Hawkins, Alamogordo, for term ending Aug. 8, 1910; J. E. Wharton, Alamogordo, for term ending Aug. 8, 1912, and W. F. Buchanan, Buchanan, for term ending Aug. 8, 1913.

Miners' Hospital of New Mexico (Board of Trustees)—M. M. White, Folsom, for term ending June 20, 1912; Geo. E. Lyon, Raton, for term ending June 20, 1913, and A. R. Streicher, Raton, for term ending June 30, 1914.

New Mexico Reform School, El Rito (Board of Trustees)—R. W. D. Bryan, Albuquerque, for term ending Aug. 11, 1911; V. Jaramillo, El Rito, for term ending Aug. 11, 1912, and Rev. Simon Averahe, El Rito, for term ending Aug. 11, 1913.

Board of Optometry.—S. T. Vann, Albuquerque; C. H. Cranes, Albuquerque, and Clifford S. Losey, Las Vegas.

For term ending Feb. 21, 1911: Board of Water Commissioners.—O. C. Snow, Las Cruces; V. Jaramillo, El Rito.

For term ending Feb. 21, 1911: Board of Dental Examiners.—E. J. Alger, Albuquerque, for term ending Feb. 16, 1911.

The following additional appointments were confirmed:

W. S. Cox, of Silver City, as member of the board of regents of the New Mexico Normal School, Silver City, for the term ending Feb. 18, 1913.

O. A. Larrazola, of Las Vegas, member of the board of regents, New Mexico Normal University, Las Vegas, for term ending, Feb. 22, 1913.

W. M. Atkinson, Roswell, members of the board of regents of New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, for term ending March 22, 1913.

A. J. Fisher, Santa Fe, members of the Board of Pharmacy, for term ending March 19, 1913.

W. E. Nutting, member of the board of pharmacy, for term ending March 19, 1913.

## Weather Report Since, 1897.

The following is the precipitation by months since 1887 except one year when no record was kept:

	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894	1895	1896	1897	1898	1899
Jan.	.41	.15				.33	.16	.92	.67	.1	.33	.05	
Feb.	.33	.2	.2	T		.35	.11	2.0	.68	T	T	T	
Mar.	.43	.55	.7	.5	.33	T		3.39	2	T	.38	.04	
Apr.	.43	.7	1.0			.51		2.07	3.46	.05	.68		
May	1.52	1.25	T		.14	T	.57	.56	.49	.34	T		
June	.66	5.41	1.6		3.54	4.55	5.13	2.06	.92	1.44	1.69		
July	.5	4.35	1.6		2.85	10.5	.64	3.86	6.89	1.71	7.2		
Aug.	5.04	1.61	T		1.35	4.02	.48	3.99	1.85	1.32	2.81	1.98	
Sept.	.76	.6	.95		1.11	1.02	1.83	4.55	2.08	1.37	T	.95	
Oct.	.2	.3			2.94	1.43	1.71	1.01	.45	8.08	T		
Nov.	T	.3	2.1		.22	.57		.96	1.43	3.43	1.22	.37	
Dec.	T	1.7			.2	.68		.28	.64	.98	.05	T	
Total	9.85	16.92	7.85	5.8	68	22.42	8.05	18.1	21.87	20.86	15.82	13.58	

### Huge Mexican Lemons.

It is not considered a joke to be "handed a lemon" in some parts of Mexico, where this fruit grows to enormous size. To carry one of these monster lemons is no small task. They frequently grow to a size much larger than a man's head. The large lemons do not bear shipment as well as those of the smaller variety, but are in much demand in the localities where they are grown. They are full of juice, and one has been known to afford enough acid for a whole barrel of lemonade.—New York Tribune.

### Realism.

A commission was entrusted to a painter in an Italian town to paint the image of a saint on the refectory wall of the convent there.

The price stipulated was very low, but it was agreed that the painter should have his meals provided at the expense of the convent until the work should be finished. But the only food supplied to the poor artist was bread, onions and water.

The day for unveiling the fresco arrived. The friars stood around the artist, and the curtain was removed. It was no doubt an excellent piece of work, but the saint had his back turned toward the spectators.

"What does this mean?" indignantly demanded the prior.

"Padre," explained the artist, "I was compelled to paint the picture as you see it, for the saint could not bear the smell of onions."—Harper's Weekly.

### "Here."

There is in Katherine M. Abbott's book, "Old Paths and Legends of the New England Border," a little story which illustrates the importance of accurate statement. In Saybrook, Conn., in the days of cottage prayer meetings 100 years ago a lady directed her servant to go to each neighbor and say that "Mrs. Bowles will have the prayer meeting here tonight."

The servant carried out her instructions to the letter, "Mrs. Bowles says the prayer meeting will be here tonight."

Accordingly each lady arranged her chairs, put on her best gown, made ready for the coming of the parson and stayed at home.

### THE DECAY OF A PEOPLE.

This is the true sign of a race—it undertakes no search and day by day drowns in camp or with the laggard's pace.

Walks sullenly over possessions that decay.

Debauched with sensible waste to fleet away.

For the first secret of continued power is the continued conquest—all our sway.

It is the conquest in the use of the hour, if that we waste in vain walled towns and lofty towers.

—William Gilmore Simms.

### Boyesen's Story of His Boy.

The late Hjalmar Hjorth Boyesen once told this story of his little son, Hjalmar H. Boyesen 2d: The boy had been taken over Brooklyn bridge for the first time and had piled his father with questions about the big structure all the way over, all the way back and all the way home. Upon their return the professor, worn out with the fusillade to which he had been subjected, retired to his study, but just as he sank into his easy chair his son appeared and, apropos of nothing, queried, "Say, papa, didn't you say that God lived up above the clouds?" The father wearily answered, "Why, yes, I guess so." "Well, papa, if we were up above the clouds we'd come through, wouldn't we?" The man vouchsafed a brief, "I suppose so." "Well, papa, why?" At that point the professor's patience gave out and he said: "There, son, don't ask it. Go to your mother." The child reiterated, but just as he lifted his hand to the doorknob he turned and said, "Say, papa, don't you know a great deal more about the Brooklyn bridge than you do about God?"

50 YEARS' EXPERIENCE

# PATENTS

TRADE MARKS  
DESIGNS  
COPYRIGHTS & C.

A complete and accurate description of an invention or discovery is essential to secure a patent. Correspondence solicited. Patent secured in all countries. Patent secured in all countries. Patent secured in all countries.

**Scientific American.**

A handsome illustrated weekly. Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms, \$5 a year in advance. Sold by all newsdealers.

**MUNN & Co.** 333 Broadway, New York

## WANTED

YOUR PROPERTY TO SELL OR RENT.

We have 500 live agents in all parts of the U. S. and believe we can dispose of your holdings quicker than anyone. We have opened a branch office in the building formerly occupied by J. S. Crozier and would be pleased to have you call and list your property with us.

**KNOBLAUCH LAND COMPANY.**

## Mr. Bryan in 1909

The fight which Mr. Bryan has made through the Commoner and on the stump will be continued with unceasing energy during the year 1909.

Mr. Bryan has again assumed editorial charge of THE COMMONER and will give this department his active, personal attention.

All earnest, patriotic Americans are invited to join him in A SPECIAL LINE OF EDUCATION to be inaugurated through the Commoner and the democratic press.

The Government reforms for which Mr. Bryan is laboring are of vital importance to the welfare of the people.

He should have the active support of those who want to see the Government administered in the interest of the many instead of the few.

Join the movement for aggressive action by accepting our special clubbing offer for one year.

THE CURRENT AND COMMONER, Both for \$2.10.

All clubbing subscriptions should be made payable to CURRENT, Carlsbad, N. M.

## List your land with the OLD RELIABLE FARMERS LAND LEAGUE

We are bringing hundreds of prospective buyers to the Valley.

**E. T. CARTER, Field Manager,**  
Headquarters: Hotel Schlitz, Carlsbad, New Mex.

# U. S. Market.

## Corn fed BEEF

AND MUTTON

Free of Alkali.

## PORK, SAUSAGE,

A—D ALL MEAT PRODUCTS.

FISH and OYSTERS in Season

PHONE NO. 11  
**JOHN LOWENBRUCK,** Prop.

## To City Water Customers:

We are now pumping over 60,000 gallons of water daily that is used for sprinkling alone.

We would once more state that the domestic rate (\$1.90 for a six-room house) does not pay for any water for lawn sprinkling.

Persons wishing to sprinkle must have the ground measured and get a permit to do so. If you sprinkle once or one hundred times, THIS MEANS YOU.

If any fail to comply with our rules in this regard, we will either charge them for the full size of their lot less the buildings thereon, or set a meter on their service and collect for the water, or discontinue the service, for this Company is entitled to fair returns on the investment which amounts to over \$49,000.00.

Persons wishing to sprinkle their lawns this season will kindly notify our office at once by phone or otherwise.

Unless other arrangements are made, the yearly charge will be divided into six installments, one payable each month beginning April 1st.

We would also call your attention to Town Ordinance No. 72, Sec. 13, which prohibits sprinkling at night or without a nozzle on the hose. This is necessary for your fire protection.

Our rates are reasonable everything considered, 3 cents per 100 gallons by meter or 30 cents per 100 square feet per year flat rate.

Previous to 1907, the people of this town paid \$30.00 per year for water for domestic service alone. At present \$30.00 will pay for domestic service for a six-room house and also for sprinkling 2,400 square feet of lawn for a year.

The service will be better this year than ever before, for we are going to keep an inspector on duty day and night if necessary, to prevent waste and theft of water.

Thanking you in advance for your co-operation in this matter, we are

**THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMPANY**

## The Bank of the Creation

The only safe bank in the world. Never returns a check unpaid. Burglar proof. Will pay the largest dividends of any bank. Never refused to pay depositors. Never affected by money panic. Always solvent. The oldest banking institution in the world. The only safe bank to deposit in. All deposits guaranteed by the creator of all things and the U. S. Government. If you are interested, see

**The Holloway Land Co.**

the Mullane Building, of east First National Bank, CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO.

## The Bank Saloon,

Drop in when in town  
and we will convince you

We Keep NOTHING BUT THE BEST

**WINES, LIQUORS, CIGARS.**

AT REASONABLE RATES

**Simpson & Co. Proprietors.** Phone 14